Nomination for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) Roy Wilkins Renown Service Award

- 1. The NAACP Roy Wilkins Renown Service Award nominations are due electronically to Ms Phyllis Brantley NGB-EO, email address, Phyllis.Brantley@us.army.mil, no later than 25 May 2010. The awards will be presented at the NAACP Armed Services and Veterans Affairs Military Awards Dinner. Award recipients are expected to attend the awards dinner. Travel and per diem costs are the responsibility of the recipient's unit.
- 2. Award nominations should be submitted in Microsoft Word format; and include the following:
 - a. A digital (.jpg format) head and shoulders color or black-and-white photograph of the nominee. The digital photo must be at least 1MB.
 - b. A single-spaced narrative (not to exceed two pages) describing the nominee's accomplishments warranting this recognition.
 - c. A single-spaced biography (not to exceed one page) of the nominee.
 - d. A citation (not to exceed sixteen lines of narrative, 12-pintch font, with 1 inch left and right margins) highlighting the nominee's accomplishments.
- 3. The NAACP Roy Wilkins Renown Service Award is to be awarded to a military member or Department of Defense civilian employee who has:
 - a. Distinguished them by making a significant contribution to the country in the area of civil/human rights, race relations, equal opportunity, affirmative action, human resources, and/or public service.
 - b. Enthusiastically supported the civil rights movement.
 - c. Supported the full integration and promotion of minorities and women within the Armed Forces.
 - d. Fostered support and understanding of the Armed Services among and between minority and non-minority members of the military and civilian population of the nation.
 - e. Fostered innovative and creative involvement within a community (civilian or military) that resulted in positive action on behalf of the residents.
 - f. Fostered better understanding among the races both in the Armed Forces and the private sector.

- g. Been committed, involved and dedicated to the civil rights movement in the Federal sector.
- h. By his or her actions, made personal sacrifices resulting in significant contributions to civil/human rights.
- i. Displayed the outstanding qualities that distinguish him/her as a leader and not a follower.
- j. Believed in and practiced the tenets of a democratic society, including the U.S. Constitution, the belief that all people are created equal, and that freedom is a right that must be protected at all times.